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For: **SPARE-WHEEL CARRIER FOR A MOTOR VEHICLE**

1. Enclosed are:

11 sheet(s) of Specification, 4 sheets of Claims and 1 sheet of Abstract

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